

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q90374

Young Min KIM, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/551,764

Group Art Unit: 1654

Confirmation No.: 4254

Examiner: Ronald T. Niebauer

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For: PEG-PHYSIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE POLYPEPTIDE HOMODIMER COMPLEX HAVING PROLONGED IN VIVO HALF-LIFE AND PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION THEREOF

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of October 29, 2007 to March 29, 2008.

The statutory fee of \$460.00 is being charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880 via EFS Payment Screen. The USPTO is also directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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